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In re Application of: : Raymond J. Gallagher III
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Application No. : 10/631,326
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Filing Date : August 1, 2003
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For : PATTERNLESS ENCRYPTION AND DECRYPTION
: SYSTEM AND METHOD
Examiner : Brandon S. Hoffman
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Art Unit : 2136
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Confirmation No. : 5578
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Docket No.: : MSK1-63168
Customer No. : 24201

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted pursuant to a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed October 10, 2007. Please amend the above identified application as follows:

Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time to respond to the above Final Office Action in the above application. The extension fees will be paid by credit card with this electronic transmission.